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WHY NOT STAY HOME

American railroads today are doing more than two and a half times the passenger business they did before the war. American buses are carrying half again as many passengers as they did a year ago. In normal times we'd call this good business. Actually it's a crisis.

Here's why: The railroads must carry 1,500,000 a month on regular troop movements. That takes half the Pullman sleeping cars and almost one-third of the day coaches. Furlough travel, which means boys seeing their folks before they go overseas, takes more cars. Necessary war activities, including movements of war workers, require cars.

In Europe and in the Pacific fighting is going on. The wounded are being brought home. They need railway cars and will have them—whether or not, or his friend with a pull, has to get off.

Buses get a good many of the short hauls, some of the long hauls, and the overflow. On buses as on trains, we are at a point where if a man who doesn't have to travel gets on a man who has to travel is crowded off. Little new equipment can be provided. The old is wearing out.

So what to do? The answer is simple if not sweet: Stay at home if you possibly can. If you insist on traveling when you don't have to, expect to be delayed, expect to stand in aisles of crowded cars, expect to miss meals, expect to carry your own baggage, expect to be dumped off if the railroad needs your space—be prepared, in short, for a mild little hell on wheels. If you get fun out of it ask yourself, was it right and did you deserve it?

The man or woman who stays home this summer is serving the country. The man or woman who goes gadding in public conveyances on needless errands isn't. Let's suppress that migratory instinct.

BRITANNY

The speed with which Allied armies are marching in France is becoming impressive. It was slow through Normandy, with its hedgerows which concealed hidden enemies and interfered with mechanized progress. Now the armies are getting out of the hedgerows and the conflict is becoming the Battle of France. The amount of territory taken so far is still small, compared with the size of France, but it is growing rapidly. The main point, not to be forgotten, is that in two months the Germans have not been able to dislodge our forces, but on the contrary are being forced to give up before them.

There are more than military reasons why the Americans want Brittany. Brest and St. Nazaire hold strong and vivid memories for every American who was in the last war. We had Brest then, mud and all, and we won. We almost have it now—and are winning. Stout little fishing-boats, braving heavy seas, are among the memories. The underground owes much to them in this war, for the men and the messages they have carried to England. Bright Quimper pottery, too, comes to mind with the thought of Brittany. Perhaps the whole peninsula will be ours by the time these lines are printed. If not, then soon.

As for the British, some day they will take Dun-

Edgar A. Guest

WILD FLOWERS
They seldom grow in prison pots,
Nor deck a maiden's hair.
They have no love for city lots
Or shops where strangers stare.
They choose the cool, sequestered spots
And the sweet country air.

They do not ask for greenhouse glass
To shield them from the cold.
They brace the winds and rains
That pass that pass.
The hills and fields to hold.
They deck the roadways with a mass
Of blossom, blue and gold.

They ask no culture save their own
No shelter save the trees.
To them is nature's fury known
And nature's roving bees,
And yet the fairest orchid grown
Is loved no more than these!

INFLATION RESISTED
Inflation is being resisted more successfully than in World War I. Then there was no government control of food prices.

Several groceries and some ration boards have been displaying the food products which \$15 bought in the first world war, compared with what the same amount will purchase today. The last war's exhibit was short and sweet: 50 pounds of sugar and nothing else. Today \$15 will procure 50 pounds of sugar, and 23 additional grocery items. This is the list:

One pound of coffee, a box of breakfast cereal, one pound each of rice and crackers, two nine-ounce packages of macaroni, a quart can of peanut butter, one package of tea, a bag of salt, two cans of corn, three cans of tomatoes, two cans of peas, one bottle of catsup, one can of baking powder, one can of peaches, one pint mayonnaise, one can kitchen cleanser, three large cans of milk, three packages tissue, two five-pound packages cornmeal, one large package of soap flakes, two pounds of beans, four cakes of soap, and 25 pounds of flour.

Evidently the OPA has achieved something. Troublesome and fussy as it is, much as every manjack—and jill—of us dislikes to wrestle with ration points and to fill out forms, the fact remains that it has made a real contribution to the cause of spreading necessities around equitably. It is beginning to appear that after the war these controls cannot all be stopped at once, but must be tapered off gradually, in order to avoid a runaway of prices. Some are already loosened a bit, and others will gradually fade away, as the needs of war are met and civilian production begins to take hold.

OVERSEAS CHRISTMAS

Just 45 more days for the overseas Christmas shopping. That is amazing, coming in midsummer, but it is true. From Sept. 15 to Oct. 15 is the time to send the boxes for certain delivery by Dec. 25. Anything sent after that is likely not to get there in time.

Retail stores are now filling priority applications for cartons which meet army regulations. Other boxes may be used, but they must be not more than 15 inches long, not more than 36 inches over all. The box approved by army, navy and WPB is the right size and shape for easy stowing on board ship.

There is one good thing about these Christmas regulations—they will probably not become a habit. In the European theater this looks like the last overseas Christmas for most of the boys now there. Americans are all hoping—and with some justification—that victory may be ours and demobilization may be well on the way before Christmas, 1944. For the Far East—well, you guess—

The safety pin was invented by Walter Hut of New York state in 1849. How did babies ever get along before?



Pvt. Robert L. Anderson has been graduated from the Army Air Forces flexible gunnery school at Tyndall Field, Panama City, Fla. Upon his graduation, the soldier received a pair of silver wings signifying that now he is ready to take his place as a member of the combat crew of an AAF bomber. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Anderson, reside in Streetman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Drain, Sr., Route 1, Corsicana, recently received letters from their four sons in the service. Cpl. Robert M. Drain, Jr., is in an anti-aircraft unit. He and his wife, Mrs. Margie Drain, have one child, Robert Ellis. Pfc. Aubrey W. Drain is with an infantry unit fighting in France. The two sons of the navy are Artie Elton Drain, S-IC, somewhere at sea, and Calvin D. Drain, S-2C, stationed at a navy base in California.

Pvt. E. D. McCormick has been transferred from Camp Barkley, Abilene, to Brooks General Hospital in San Antonio for the remainder of his basic training, according to his wife, County Judge Beatrice R. McCormick. Pvt. McCormick resigned as county judge several months ago to report for active duty in the U. S. army.

F-O Paul G. Seib, husband of Mrs. P. G. Seib, Corsicana, recently arrived at Rosecrans Field, St. Joseph, Mo., an ATC base, where he is taking and advanced pilot training course. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Seib, he was born at Aurora, Ill., and was an advanced flying instructor for the Terrill, Texas, aviation school before enlisting in the Army in February, 1944. He received his warrant at Nashville, Tenn., in June, 1944. His wife lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Blasingame, 1215 Summit avenue.

Earl G. Gathright, mortar leader with the 25th Infantry division in the South Pacific, and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gathright, Corsicana, has been promoted from corporal to staff sergeant. A graduate of Corsicana high school and for two years a student at John Tarleton junior college, Sgt. Gathright was inducted in February, 1942, and has been overseas for more than two years. He holds the good conduct medal and is a veteran of the two campaigns in which the 25th Infantry division was largely instrumental in smashing Japanese resistance, the battle of Guadalcanal and New Georgia.

Wilbur L. Thompson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thompson, 806 West Seventh avenue, is now stationed at South Plains Army Air Field, Lubbock, Texas. Pvt. Thompson is taking "on the line" training at SPAAF in starting the routine which will lead to wings as a pilot bombardier or navigator in the AAF. He graduated from Corsicana high school and attended the NTAC at Arlington.

Pvt. Frances Hammonds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hammonds, is visiting friends and relatives in Corsicana on a furlough from the WAC training detachment stationed at Robin Field, Ga.

Sgt. Delbert C. Cox, stationed somewhere in France, recently wrote his wife, Mrs. D. C. Cox, stating that he had been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant, and that he had been wounded slightly in the left arm. Sgt. Cox enlisted in the Army in March, 1942, and has been overseas for five months.

A message from Tom Harless, who is stationed with the U. S. Seabees in Honolulu, states that he visited the Pearl Harbor Base Hospital recently in an effort to see his nephew, Marion Harless, Jr., of the U. S. Marines, who was wounded in the Saipan engagement. Marion, Jr., had recovered, however, and has been re-assigned to duty on July 28 and they missed seeing each other by several days.

Misses Dolores Wortham and Geniece Key, summer students at TSCW, have returned to Denton, following a week end visit in the L. A. Wortham home.

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ABSENTEE VOTING IS NOW UNDER WAY RUN-OFF ELECTION

PRECINCT CHAIRMAN REQUESTED TO PHONE RESULTS TO SUN OFFICE

Absentee voting is under way at the office of Mable Wilkinson, county clerk, for the second or run-off Democratic primary election, Saturday, August 26.

There are two state races, two county campaigns and two congressional races to be decided at this election. Precinct chairmen at two boxes are to be determined.

Absentee voting will close Tuesday, August 22. The main ballot requests the first week of absentee voting for men and women in the armed forces.

Phone Results to Sun
P. M. Gladney, Navarro county democratic chairman, has authorized all precinct chairmen to telephone (collect) the Corsicana Daily Sun the results of each box as soon as they are available.

The returns will be tabulated by this newspaper on election night. Interest in the run-off campaign has not become as intense as in the first primary election, but may increase to a marked degree as the time of the election nears.

Following is a copy of the ballot:

Official Ballot
(Democratic run-off primary Aug. 26.)
I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary.

For Attorney General
Grover Sellers of Hopkins county.
Jesse E. Martin of Tarrant county.

For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court
Richard Critz of Williamson county.
Gordon Simpson of Smith county.

For Representative (68th District)
R. Donnell Hayden of Paschal.
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George T. Bradley.

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Jack Megarity.
Jim Taylor.
For Commissioner Precinct 4
Drew Gillen.
W. K. (Kirk) Barnes.

For Precinct Chairman Roane
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H. R. Fluke.
C. L. Burks.

For Precinct Chairman Winkler
No. 4
A. K. Harris.
Jack Steele.

CORSICANA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION MEETS EMHOUSE AUGUST 21

Corsicana Baptist Association workers program meeting will be held at Emhouse Monday, August 21, according to Rev. D. P. Cagle of Corsicana, association missionary Rev. J. D. Bradley is the host pastor.

The program will begin at 10 a. m. with a devotional led by Rev. Robert Riley, and the association at missionary will make a report on the activities of the area. Rev. R. J. Fletcher of Corsicana and Rev. J. W. Ousley of Kerens will be heard while special music will be provided by the North Side Baptist church of Corsicana.

Rev. Jack Goff, pastor of the North Side Baptist church, will bring the sermon. Sandwiches will be served at the noon hour. W. M. U. and board meetings will be held in the afternoon with the closing message to be given by Rev. J. E. Stack of Frost.

Pfc Earl Pryor Was Wounded In France

Pfc. Earl C. Pryor, 22, 38th. infantry, in France, has been wounded in action and was awarded the Purple Heart and Combat Infantry Badge according to information received by his sister, Mattie Lou Pryor, 516 North Fourteenth street, Fort Worth. Pryor's injuries are not regarded as serious as he is back in action. He is the son of W. W. Pryor of Corsicana. Reared in Pursley, Pfc. Pryor enlisted in the U. S. Army in October, 1940.

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SOLDIER DECORATED—Pfc. Elias Rojas, 180th. infantry, recently received the combat infantry badge and prior to that time was awarded the Purple Heart Decoration for wounds received at Anzio Beach, according to information received by his mother, Mrs. Sarah Gonzales, Thorpe Addition, Corsicana. Prior to entering the armed forces, Rojas was employed at the Corsicana Laundry and Cleaning Company.

Information From Navarro County Rationing Board

RESTAURANT PRICES—Owners and operators of eating or drinking establishments must, on or before Aug. 16, 1944, show on a poster to be supplied by the OPA, all food prices for 60 food items, and menus as set forth in Order No. 1 under the restaurant maximum price regulation.

When a list of food items and meals with lawful ceiling prices for each is posted, three copies of this list must be made and sent or delivered to the local war price and rationing board on or before August 21. Each copy must be clear, legible, dated and signed by the owner or manager of the establishment, with the name and name of the establishment following the signature. The board will check this list with the establishment's filed ceiling prices. If the prices check, the board shall make a notification to the effect on one copy of the list and return it to the establishment. This copy must be made available for examination by any person during business hours.

If the prices on the list do not completely check with the filed ceiling prices, the board will call in the owner or manager for a conference, so that corrections can be made.

2 NAVARRO COUNTY MEN CREW MEMBERS NAVY VESSEL LOST

Two Navarro county men were members of the crew of the U. S. Naval vessel—the minesweeper Osprey—reported lost in an Associated Press dispatch from Washington Thursday. It has been learned here.

Jack DeWitt of Corsicana and Jimmie Shelton of Kerens, a former backfield football ace, were reported members of the Osprey crew. The ship was lost in European waters. The two navy men were here several weeks ago after their ship went down in action.

Fort Worth Man Buried Thursday Brushy Prairie

Edgar Riley, aged 37 years, died in a Fort Worth hospital Wednesday. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Brushy Prairie where burial was made. Surviving are his wife of Fort Worth.

Riley resided in the Brushy Prairie community until three years ago, when he moved to Fort Worth.

Freestone Oil Test
FAIRFIELD, Aug. 12—(Sp.)—Texas company drillers have been moving machinery for the test well located on the McKnight tract 3 miles west of Fairfield and will start drilling in a few days. Contract calls for an 8500 foot well.

Corsicana Field Closing Date Is Announced Oct. 16

Corsicana Field, Air Activities of Texas, will discontinue primary flight training October 16, according to announcement Friday by B. W. Woolley, civilian director.

Woolley stated that only 15 primary schools will continue operation in the United States after this date, with only four in the Gulf Coast area which include, Uvalde, Brady, Chickasha, Okla., and El Reno, Okla.

It was stated by Woolley that orders from Washington Thursday night were confirmed Friday by telephone from Randolph Field, Central Flying Training Command.

The disposition of the physical property at the field has not as yet been announced but it was stated a skeleton crew will be maintained with a guard detail on duty 24 hours a day.

Class 45-B recently arriving will be the final class to take the completion training course at the field, it was stated by Lieut. C. R. Parrent, public relations officer.

Corsicana Field started operations in February of 1941, and the first class arrived March 1, 1941.

Woolley stated that all civilian personnel will continue to perform routine duties as customary until the final closing date.

Approximately 5,000 pilots have graduated from Corsicana Field and are now scattered over the world fighting on all battlefronts.

Many have been decorated and a number have lost their lives in combat.

Personal Mention
Of Kerens Folk
KERENS, Aug. 11—(Sp.)—Pfc. Vernon Stillwell and Pfc. Vernon Voordes of Camp Maxey, Paris, spent the week end in Kerens in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Coates, as the guest of their daughter, Marilyn.

A. L. Bain was a Dallas visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett McCluney visited their daughter Mrs. Graham Wiley and family in Tyler over the week end.

Mrs. Roy Neese and children Melvin and Edna of Dallas visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. R. Penny the first of the week.

Rev. J. W. Ousley left Monday for Raleigh, North Carolina to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ousley. Enroute he will visit his brothers, Rev. J. B. Ousley of Springfield, Tenn. and Rev. C. L. Ousley of Silver City, North Carolina. He will be joined at the home of his parents by two other brothers, Lt. J. C. Ousley of the U. S. Marines, and Sgt. Stacy Ray Ousley, U. S. N.

Helen Miller of Corsicana, and Mrs. Bert Miller of Los Angeles, Calif., who have been visiting in the home of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Walker, left Thursday for Los Angeles where Mrs. Miller will enjoy a month's visit in the home of her son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sykes of Fort Worth returned to their home Thursday and were accompanied by their small daughter, Sandra who had spent a week in Kerens with her grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Walker have as their guests this week, their children, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Walker and children, Ronnie and Carol of Houston. Mrs. C. J. Simms of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Walker and daughter, Lena K. of Lubbock, Mrs. R. E. Logan and daughter, Jean Shelly of Texas, and Mrs. F. J. Fleck and daughter, Mary Ann.

Mrs. J. E. Immon had as her guests over the week end her daughter, Miss Maple Immon of Baytown, Mrs. Jewel Ford of New London, Mrs. Hazel Harlan and daughter, Frances of Goose Creek, and Mr. Mack Morris of Saccia, New Jersey.

Mrs. May Simmons and daughter Peggy of Midland are visiting in the home of Mrs. J. E. Simmons this week.

Mrs. Sam Roberts of Waco returned to her home Wednesday after a visit in Kerens with her niece Mrs. J. E. Noble.

Brady Noble of Childress is visiting his father, Les Noble and other relatives.

Court House Picnic
At Camp Wanica Was Greatly Enjoyed

Approximately 100 persons attended the court house picnic at Camp Wanica Friday evening. The visitors enjoyed swimming, strolling over the improved camp site and talking.

The tables were piled with barbecue and other types of meat, along with other foods including pies and cakes, and after the regular meal,iced watermelons were served later in the evening.

Piano music and other forms of entertainment were enjoyed.

Practically every office in the court house was represented and the personnel absent had excellent excuses. No speech-making or set program was carried out.

The four county commissioners—Jim Taylor, L. M. Seale, Fred M. Copeland and David Gillies, and Tax Attorney Edgar Hutchins were hosts for the barbecue, melons and soft drinks.

Pioneer Freestone County Man Dies
FAIRFIELD, Aug. 12—(Sp.)—T. C. Simmons, aged 85, died Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ottie Utley in Fairfield.

Burial was in the Woodland cemetery near Kerens Sunday afternoon. Religion services were held by Rev. Frank McElroy and E. K. Sh-phard with Masspie Services following.

Mr. Simmons was born in Richland Co. and came to Freestone county 60 years ago and made his home near Kerens until eight years ago when he moved to Fairfield.

Near surviving relatives are three daughters, five sons, nineteen grand children, three great-grand children and a brother at Coolidge and a full brother at Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. George Noakes was a recent visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Cole at Wortham.

CAPTAIN WILLIAM H. PATRICK, JR., HOME; COMPLETED 32 MISSIONS OVER NAZI OCCUPIED TERRITORY

By PAUL MOORE
Daily Sun Staff.

Capt. William H. Patrick, Jr., aged 22 years, veteran of 32 missions over Germany and enemy-occupied Europe, relates his "closest shave" was in March, this year, when a German fighter plane dived into the tail of his Flying Fortress, went down spinning through the clouds with a wing gone after knocking a huge hole in the bomber.

Decoated.
The youthful hero, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patrick, Sr., 618 West Fifth avenue, modestly relates from telling of his exploits even to close friends, but the distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters, and two stars for major engagements tell the story of the young pilot who sent his sky battlewagon over Berlin, capital of Nazidom, on seven occasions.

One of the major campaign stars is for participating in "The Battle of Germany" and the other is for his work on D Day when the Allies landed on the Normandy Beaches and later on the capture of the hold of the U. S. and Allied Nations forces. All missions were over Germany in his B-17 bomber until D Day when his activities were shifted to the French invasion area.

Overseas Since January.
Capt. Patrick reported to England in January, and returned to the states a few days ago. He will remain in Corsicana until about Sept. 1 when he reports to Santa Monica, Calif., for reassignment.

The mother of the young captain has kept a complete log and record of his missions from accounts in the state and federal newspapers, and also has a scrapbook including newspaper clippings, photos, etc., about his entire career while in the European theater.

Attended U. of T.
Patrick had attended the University of Texas two years in the Business Administration School when he enlisted in the U. S. Army Air Forces.

His outfit returned from all missions without the loss or wounding of a member of the crew. Capt. Patrick is loud in the praise of his crew and also had commendation for the ground crews in the Air Force.

"You could bring in a plane shot to pieces and the ground crew would have it as good as new the next morning," he stated.

One of his most prized possessions brought home is his huge jungle knife. It is a heavy cleaver type weapon that could be used effectively in clearing a path through underbrush or in hand-to-hand combat.

The officer also brought back various English coins and currency.

Three Probables.
Capt. Patrick's crew is credited with three probables and two enemy planes damaged. The fighter plane mentioned earlier as having "killed" his Flying Fortress was listed as a probable as it disappeared into the clouds and the crew was unable to determine whether it was the enemy or whether the pilot was able to bail out.

The officers did not have any reason to believe the German pilot was able to bail out of the spinning, crippled fighter-plane.

Retained Story.
A dispatch from an Eighth AAF Goings and Comings

Of Fairfield Folk
FAIRFIELD, Aug. 12—(Sp.)—Mrs. Roger Steward is spending the week in Dallas.

Mrs. Bradley Richardson is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. P. H. Medaris, in Waco.

Pvt. William Speed of Camp Hood visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Speed and family last week end.

Mrs. L. D. Emmons of Houston visited relatives here last week.

Roy Cridels and daughters of Grand Prairie are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Childs here.

T. A. McIlveen, Jr., of Dallas spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McIlveen, Sr.

Frederick Hill made a business trip to Dallas Tuesday.

F. B. Peyton, Juliette Miley, Mrs. W. R. Williamson, Jr., and Mrs. W. R. Boyd, Jr., made a business trip to Dallas Tuesday.

Mrs. Buddy Allen spent Wednesday and Thursday at Huntsville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jackson and children of San Antonio are visiting in parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Childs.

Pvt. Winifred L. Walker of Pinedale, Calif., is spending his furlough here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Walker.

Mrs. Forest Wood and children are visiting friends in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and daughter of Houston spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Chavers.

Mrs. C. C. Lenninberg visited her mother, Mrs. J. J. McGilberry, in Buden during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lott of Wortham visited Mrs. B. F. Kilgore Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Aultman and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Tate and Gloria spent Sunday at Huntsville.

Mrs. Clifford Gann and children of Dallas are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Hugh Harris and Don are visiting relatives in Houston.

Missing Soldier Is Back on Active Duty
Pfc. George Barton Sartor, 25, who was reported missing in action in Italy, since June 14, was back at the home of his wife, Mrs. Sartor, in the town of Fairfield, according to information received by his wife, Mrs. Lorene Sartor, now in Hillsboro, from the adjutant general.

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CAPT. WM. PATRICK, JR.

Bomber Station in England, April 19, went into considerable detail about the exploits of Capt. Patrick and his crew.

The article said that a fire started in the electrical system of the bomb bay and two bombs failed to drop when the emergency release was used by the pilot.

Sgt. Edward T. Webster, Passaic, N. J., radio operator, walked out on the catwalk over the open bomb bay and saw that one of the bombs loose and saw it fall toward the target. The other, he stated, the story continued, and the heroic sergeant lifted the bomb free and dropped it, too.

Some twenty-five enemy fighters tagged along after the formation in which the crippled Fortress was trailing toward its home base and after the fight was over, the article said, the pilot was out of control with the pilot dead or dying," the article stated. The impact tore one of the outer wings off and further damaged the Fortress.

"During the return home, Capt. Patrick, who was a first lieutenant at that time, had to leave his formation and follow behind and below the other craft because he did not have adequate control to handle the ship, but he brought it safely back to base.

The Flying Fortresses do not carry the "block busters," the veteran stated, but their bombs vary as to the targets of a particular mission. He stated that the two-ton block-busters generally were dropped by the RAF Lancasters.

Tells of Bombs.
In discussing the bombs carried by the B-17s, Capt. Patrick said they ranged from 500 to 1,000 pounds, and related one instance when something went wrong and the entire load of bombs carried in his craft were discharged at one time.

Turning the conversation from bombers to the fighter craft Capt. Patrick is enthusiastic about the Mustangs with their great speed and maneuverability, although some of the fighters were not as effective as the newer types. The great speed and ease by which the Mustangs are flown make them particularly effective and tough to hit by the enemy, according to the pilot.

Former Instructor At Corsicana Field Killed In Crash
W. G. Harvey, age 31 years, former instructor of flying at Corsicana Field, Air Activities of Texas was killed in a plane crash at Clarksville, Miss., Thursday.

Funeral services will be held from the Clarksville Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Rev. E. F. Bohmalk conducting the rites and interment will be in Oakwood cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Louise Harvey, an uncle, Fred Keckler, Ft. Logan, Colo., and other relatives.

American Legion Barbecue Picnic Largely Attended
The American Legion picnic and barbecue at Baum's Lodge, Friday night was well attended. The barbecue was given to stimulate interest in the local post and enable new and old members to pay their dues and enroll before the state convention which meets in Fort Worth Aug. 19 to 21.

No set program was carried out but there were several entertaining features presented during the evening. Judge Fountain Kirby, Groesbeck, and John C. Calhoun, Corsicana, made brief addresses.

A group of cadets from Corsicana Field were presented in a musical interlude. The musical feature included vocal selections and specialty numbers.

An excellent menu had been prepared for the occasion.

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Sick And Convalescent
Jack Groems is in the Navarro Clinic for treatment of injuries received in an automobile accident.

on North Highway 75 Saturday night. He was reported not seriously injured.
A son was born to Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Bowmer at the P. and S. Hospital Monday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gaines at the P. and S. Hospital Sunday at the P. and S.

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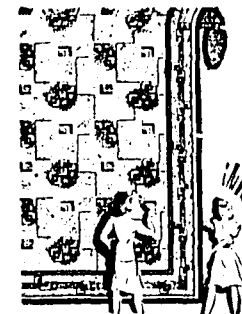
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JAMES H. COOPER BURIED MONDAY IN PURSLEY CEMETERY

Funeral services for James H. Cooper, age 83 years, who died in the Pickett community Saturday night, were held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Pursley Church of Christ with interment in the Pursley cemetery. George Bailey, Church of Christ, minister, conducted the rites.

He was a native of Alabama but had resided in Texas many years.

Surviving are three sons, Will Cooper, Pursley; Frank Cooper, Dallas; Charlie Cooper, Cooper; two daughters, Mrs. C. E. Anthony, Cooper; Miss Sallie Cooper, Pickett; three sisters, Mrs. C. A. Smith, Goose Creek; Mrs. C. Allen, El Paso; Mrs. Tom Pinner, Hawley; nine grandchildren; six great-grandchildren and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at the home of Mrs. Fred Copeland, Shelton Corner, Allen Keith, John Mahoney, Howell Herrin and LeRoy Tidwell.

Cooper's funeral home directed the arrangements.

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SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE—Cpl. Robert M. Watkins, U. S. Army, has written his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Watkins of Black Hills, that he is somewhere in France and is well. Cpl. Watkins, a former student of Embury High School, he entered the service, Feb. 10, 1942, and has served 22 months overseas. He was stationed in Iceland and England prior to going to France. He was engaged in farming prior to entering the armed forces.

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NOW IS GOOD TIME BEGIN PREPARING CHRISTMAS MAILING

SOME INSTRUCTIONS FOR
MAILING CHRISTMAS
PACKAGES OVERSEAS

"Save strong string and box material and start to plan shopping," Postmaster General Frank C. Walker advises Americans in announcing the rules for mailing of Christmas gifts for Army and navy personnel overseas.

This year the Christmas mailing period for Army and Navy overseas is from the same—September 15 to October 15. After October 15 no gift parcel may be mailed to a soldier without the presentation of a written request from him. We are unable to deliver many parcels which families and friends sent to men and women overseas last year because they were crushed in transit and the gift and the outside wrapper became separated. We are unable to make delivery of parcels that have been shown on the inside wrapper. We advise that everyone write the address of the sender and addressee inside the package as well as outside.

Some Rules
Among the most important rules for Christmas mailings to the armed forces overseas are the following:

The parcel must not exceed five pounds, and must not be more than 15 inches in length or 30 inches in length and girth combined. It should be marked "Christmas Parcel" so that it may be given special attention to assure its arrival before December 25.

Not more than one parcel may be mailed in any one week to the same member of the armed forces by or in behalf of the same sender. When combination packages are made up of such items as miscellaneous toilet articles, hard candies, soap, etc., the contents should be tightly packed so that they will not become loosened in transit and damage the contents or the cover. Hard candy, nuts, caramels (including those covered with chocolate), cookies, fruit cake, and chocolate bars individually wrapped in waxed paper should be enclosed in inner boxes of wood, metal or cardboard.

Perishable goods, such as fruits and vegetables that may spoil, are prohibited. Intoxicants, inflammable materials such as matches or lighter fluids, poisons, and anything that may damage other mail also are prohibited. Gifts enclosed in glass should be substantially packed to void breakage. Sharp instruments, such as razors and knives, must have their edges and points protected so that they cannot cut through the coverings and injure postal personnel or damage other packages.

M. P. Sergeant Became Attached Kansas City Girl

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 14 (AP)—Sgt. Albert Noonan of Camp Chaffee, Ark., on his way to Fort Leavenworth, Kans., to pick up his girl—now wound up by becoming completely attached to her.

He and the girl, Doris Goodman, were strolling through Swope Park when Noonan decided to explain the handcuffs to her. Not until they were handcuffed together did the sergeant discover he had lost the key.

Two hours later after Sunday crowds and the monkeys had wandered at the couple, police located a key that would fit.

As Noonan departed for Fort Leavenworth, he said he didn't think he would handcuff this prisoner after all. "Those things are dangerous," he said.

Suffers Broken Hand In Accident Sunday

In an attempt to miss a passing automobile on Sunday, Frank Hailley suffered a broken hand and numerous lacerations, but is recuperating satisfactorily at his home on West Park avenue. The passing motorist rendered assistance, and Frank was able to be taken to his home in his wheel chair.

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THE WAR TODAY

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Europe will be vitally affected by the outcome of Eisenhower's "momentous" week.

I call your special attention to the assignment of the allied air services in this battle. With the retreating Germans swarming all roads, main arteries, out of Norway and Brittany, the mighty American-British fleets are taking a terrible toll both in lives and in equipment. Moreover, naval communications not only on the battle front but through Western Europe are being shattered by the endless line of allied planes.

Meanwhile the Hitlerites are getting almost no assistance from a Luftwaffe which is about gasping its last. This means that the German armies are having to meet this great crisis blindfolded. They have lost the use of their eyes, for warplanes are the eyes of the modern army. That's a terrific handicap.

We can't foresee what tactics Field Marshal Von Kluge may pursue in an effort to save himself. Probably he doesn't know himself at this moment. What he is doing is that he apparently had hoped to pull his forces back northward and make a stand along the Seine river, with Paris as an anchorage. He knows that we have along the coast of the English Channel and cover the ultimate retreat of the nazis into Germany. The way things are developing he may not get a chance to put this plan into execution.

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Canton No. 8, Corsicana, membership was instituted with thirteen members.

Among the early arrivals were Claude J. Carter, San Antonio, past grand master of the district; C. N. Shuler, Fort Worth, past grand master and vice chairman of the board of trustees; Secretary Porter, Martha Archibald, Abilene, chairman of the advisory board; and J. E. Rehbeke, Addicks, Belle Asteu, Sherman, junior past Rebekah president.

Voyed E. Howard, El Paso, past president; Donna Martin, Paris, vice chairman of the advisory board; C. N. Shuler, Fort Worth, president of the association; Hazel Morrow, Dallas, vice president of the association; Lucile Middlebrook, Fort Worth, secretary-treasurer of the association; H. H. Lummus, Ennis, grand treasurer, grand lodge; Nettie Hawkins, Houston, former matron of the Homes; Lue Key, Fort Worth; Johnnie House, Fort Worth; and Elizabeth Bunch, Fort Worth, all past presidents of the Rebekah Assembly, and others.

Miss Patti John Bunch gave a reading to highlight the opening ceremonies Monday morning.

Indications Monday morning were that the registration would surpass the 85 of last year.

The response was given by H. H. Lummus of Ennis, grand treasurer. Among late arrivals Monday were C. M. McLaughlin, major general, Patriarchs Militant, Tyler; W. B. Funderburgh, Tyler, adjutant, Patriarchs Militant; and Earl Orbaugh, Tyler, member of the grand lodge and cone board of trustees.

CANADIANS

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fact and crossed eastward over the Lalze river.

The drive started two days ago when the Canadians crossed the Lalze at Bretterville, 12 miles north of Clair Tizon, and pushed south along the western bank of the river.

The villages of Tournebu and Le Meunil also fell to the device, which was paralleled on the Canadian's right flank by the British Second army on the move southeast of Thury-Harcourt.

In support of the Canadians' push the RAF destroyed 21 tanks, left five others probably destroyed or damaged, destroyed 130 German motor transport and damaged 250.

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ROOSEVELT ORDERS NAVY TO TAKE OVER FIVE MACHINE SHOPS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14 (AP)—President Roosevelt directed navy secretary Forrestal today to take over nominal control of five machine shops in San Francisco where an AFL machinists lodge has defied War Labor Board orders for several months.

The union leadership had refused to lift a ban on overtime and Sunday work. WLB officials have termed this a "limited strike" because the work week was limited by the union to 48 hours.

The union had covered 104 shops. WLB chairman William H. Davis told Mr. Roosevelt in a letter, however, that the five companies ordered taken over "employ the greatest number of machinists and have been affected most by the refusal of lodge 88 to withdraw the overtime ban. The members of the board are hopeful that the seizure of those five plants will result in the removal of the ban."

ROOSEVELT

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the use of an island outpost to a national defense," he said. "It is essential that our control of this route (the Great Circle) shall be undisputed. Everybody in Siberia and China knows that we have no ambition to acquire land on the continent of Asia. We as a people are utterly opposed to aggression or sneak attacks—but we are determined to prevent them. It is essential that we be fully prepared to prevent them, for all time to come. The word and the honor of Japan cannot be trusted, x x x."

It is an unfortunate fact that other nations can not trust Japan. It is an unfortunate fact that years must pass before we can trust Japan and before we can classify Japan as a member of the society of nations which seek permanent peace and whose word we can trust.

War Under Control.
Throughout his trip, which lasted just a month until he docked at the yard here, the president kept in close touch with the war on all fronts, and he assured his hearers that "the war is well in hand in this vast Pacific area."

"But," he added, "I can not tell you, if I knew, when the war will be over either in Europe or in the Far East or the war against Japan."

The president digressed from his prepared address to pay a compliment to the press and radio of America, which kept the secret of his Pacific tour until it was ended, though the press associations and many newspapers had known of the trip from its start. "A modern miracle," he termed the fact so many groups and organizations would work so closely under a purely volunteer censorship code.

Black Hills Cemetery Meeting.
A called meeting of the Black Hills cemetery association will be held Thursday night at 8:30 at the church. It has been announced. All who are interested are urged to attend.

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REV. J. I. CARTLIDGE PREACHED SUNDAY AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Jared I. Cartledge, pastor of the First Baptist church, left Monday to assist in a revival meeting at Flint, Texas, and will be absent next Sunday. He brought both messages Sunday. Miss Virginia Roberts was soloist in the anthem brought by the choir Sunday morning, while Miss Louise Goode and W. N. Pyron appeared in a duet at the evening hour.

There were 457 in Sunday school and 102 in B.T.U.

Three were baptized following the evening service.

Five joined the church Sunday, four by letter and one as a candidate for baptism.

A mission program was given Monday at 4 p. m. by the WMS. The regular deacon's meeting will be held at the church Monday at 8 p. m.

The YWA meets at the church Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

Regular church conferences, teachers and officers meetings and choir practice is scheduled for Wednesday evening at the church.

The "Backyard Jamboree" will be held Thursday night. Those who attend will meet at the church and then will proceed to the M. A. Tekell farm.

Texas Awarded DFC
WASHINGTON, Aug. 14 (AP)—The War department today announced the award of the Distinguished Flying Cross to the following Texans:

William M. Averill, Jr., 1st Lieut. Corps Christi.

Robert S. Sale, Staff Sgt., RFD 1, Honey Grove.

Chinese Massing for Attack.
CHUNGKING, Aug. 14 (AP)—Chinese troops are massing for a full scale assault on the ancient walled city of Tengchung, a main goal in their western Yunnan offensive, a Chinese communiqué said today.

The Chinese said they still were supported by Maj. Gen. Claire L. Chennault's 14th air force.

Other Chinese forces are continuing preparations to retake Lungling, Japanese stronghold astride the Burma Road, and also are maintaining steady pressure on the isolated garrison at Sungshan, to the northeast, the announcement said.

On the Hunan front, the Chinese indicated they were striving to recapture the strategic railway center of Hengyang.

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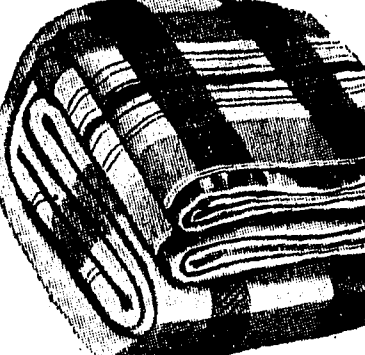
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RECONVERSION PLAN BEING CONSIDERED BY FOUR COMMITTEES

3-POINT PROGRAM ON SURPLUSES, UNEMPLOY- MENT, DEMOBILIZATION

By WILLIAM F. ABROGAST
WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—(AP)—Four Congressional committees hammered away today at a three-point reconversion program, hopeful of getting it out of the way in time to permit a pre-election recess starting about September 1. Should the Senate and House take a second vacation, the reconversion program would be disposed of in the next two weeks, leaders said, there would be no reason why Congress could not take a second vacation. The reconversion program would be disposed of in the next two weeks, leaders said, there would be no reason why Congress could not take a second vacation. The reconversion program would be disposed of in the next two weeks, leaders said, there would be no reason why Congress could not take a second vacation.

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INVASION

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infantry bore down on the vicinity of Domfront in a smash of about 13 miles by noon today. Domfront is 13 miles east of the Mortain-Domfront road, was captured in this drive. (The German radio said there also was violent fighting near Carouges, 13 miles east of Domfront, with approximately four American divisions blocking the German's chief escape routes.) The Canadian offensive got off at noon following an attack by hundreds of heavy and medium bombers which smashed enemy strongpoints within 3,000 yards of the allied front lines.

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It was announced that American troops on Saturday had taken 2,826 more German prisoners, bringing their four-day total to more than 13,000. American prisoners taken in France since the beginning of the campaign had now mounted to beyond 115,000.

Elisenhower, in one of his rare orders of the day to all men of the armies, air and naval forces, called it a "definite opportunity for a major allied victory."

Five Days of Secrecy.
The trap was sprung, it was disclosed after five days of secrecy shrouded operations west of Paris, when powerful American armor and infantry spearheads sweeping in a 250-mile arc through Le Mans, converged upon the German flank and rear in a sudden twist to the north. This swing took the Americans through Alencon, Sees and Argentan, only 18 miles south of the Canadian first army five miles above Falaise.

Now the American armored "hammer" was beating the Germans against the Canadian-British "anvil" below Caen.

Field Marshal Guenther Von Kluge's defense of France south of the Seine appeared doomed as his forces squirmed under frightful punishment to pull out through the suddenly narrowed gap.

Escape Roads Cut.
Practically all his escape roads toward the Seine were cut. Allied air forces were attacking in every movement of the Germans, wrecking hundreds of locomotives and thousands of rail cars. Not a single wagon or bicycle was immune from attack from the swarms of aircraft which buzzed over the battle area in endless processions.

Roads that remained open were under allied shellfire, and it appeared that only new German armies could stem the Normandy tide.

However, Von Kluge already had drawn off 40 of the 70 or 75 divisions he was believed to have had in France at the start of the invasion. British staff officers yes-



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SAILOR WHO ELUDED JAPS ON GUAM—Chief Radioman George R. Tweed inspects a map of Guam where he spent 31 months hiding from Japanese conquerors before his rescue by American forces July 10. (AP Wirephoto)

METHODISTS LEAD RELIGIOUS PREFERENCE OF CLASS 45-B; SIXTY-ONE ARE MARRIED MEN

Class 45-B now underclassmen at Corsicana Field, Air Activities of Texas, includes a former Corsicana high athlete, Billy Whitefield, football and baseball star, along with a number of other Texans. Religious preferences are headed by the Methodists. Sixty-one are married. Numerous civilian activities are listed.

New York State leads the list with 20. Michigan is second with 16, Iowa third with 12, California fourth with 11, and Illinois and Minnesota are fifth with 10 each. Kansas and Indiana come in sixth with nine each. Other states represented are Wisconsin, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Washington, New Jersey, Missouri, Alabama, Louisiana, New Hampshire, Kansas, Colorado, Georgia, Tennessee, West Virginia, Arkansas, Maine, Florida, Indiana, North Carolina, Nebraska, Mississippi, Ohio, Arizona, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Carolina, Maryland, New Mexico, Connecticut, Idaho and Utah.

Civilian Occupations.
Methodists led in the religious preference with 47, while Catholics were second with 33, trailed by Baptists in third with 28. Presbyterians were fourth with 18. Other sects listed are Church of Christ, New Mexico, Episcopal, Hebrew, Free Methodist, Lutheran, Congregationalist, Christian Science, United Brethren, Mormon, C and M, A. Quaker, Moravian, Evangelical, Reformed, Evangelical, Free Church, Protestant and two without religious preferences. Large universities listed by the class included, Cornell, Lawrence

tech, Chicago University, Houston University, Idaho and Utah. Veterans in Class.
Among the class with overseas service in the present conflict included Second Lieut. Charles C. Downie of New York City, with 10 months service in the European Theatre; First Lieut. Donald B. Hendrixson, Grand Rapids, Mich., overseas from July 4, 1943 to Feb. 17, 1944, and First Lieut. William J. Olsen, Chicago, six months service with the Eighth Air Force, stationed in England.

Hester Walter Zado, Jr., 1008 Jackson Boulevard, Houston, attended University of Houston. Charles Cassara, 5210 Howard, San Antonio. Oren A. Harris, Athens, attended Cayuga High School where he played basketball.

Leslie Richard Harding, Henderson, Texas, attended Oakwood high school, Oakwood, where he was a basketball player. William Richard Whitefield, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Whitefield, 821 North Twentieth St., Corsicana, native of Ennis, two years foot ball and three years as basketball player with Corsicana Tigers.

Ben Luther McGee, Jr., 4428 Northmady Road, Fort Worth, Texas, graduate of Paschal High School and attended Texas Christian University, Fort Worth. In civilian life he was a public accountant. H. B. McClung, Jr., 1031 Key St., Houston, was mail clerk. Harry Charles Grubbs, 3115 Beauchamp, Houston, was a cable splice helper.

Flight Instructor Here.
Richard Alfred Lowe, army primary flight instructor, attended Cornell University, married, resident of Buffalo, N. Y., has credited for 972 hours in the air. Delmar Fremont Gilkeson, native of Canada, but now resident of Torrance, Calif. He was an aircraft worker and musician in civilian life. Willis Richard Garman, Cushing, Okla., has commercial license and is credited with 240 hours flying experience.

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Since Friday the Russians have been bitten deep into German lines, capturing 630 settlements and forcing three rivers, the Nive, the Odra and the Biala, to flow backward. Progress here was one of the major strategic victories of the summer campaign, for the Germans had mounted massive counterattacks in the future at the time of the Russian offensive. Rokossovsky's army group was pressing north and northwestern on a 65-mile front from the Bug northwest of Warsaw. The important communications center of Lomza, Ostrow and Ostroka lay within his grasp, and there are virtually no other large towns before the East Prussian frontier.

At the same time, a Soviet communiqué disclosed that the twin armies of Marshal Konstantin K. Rokossovsky and Gen. G. P. Zverov, whose mammoth drive in the north had captured the important communications center of Lomza, Ostrow and Ostroka lay within his grasp, and there are virtually no other large towns before the East Prussian frontier.

The Russians announced Gen. Andrei Yeremenko's second Baltic army, now almost half way across Latvia, had killed or captured nearly 70,000 Germans in the month, including 60,000 Nazi casualties inflicted in the summer offensive.

Riga Objective
Yeremenko's Latvian legions, driving toward the Baltic, captured the railway center of Madona, 75 miles east of Riga. Other units reached within 55 miles of Riga on the southeast in Russia's attempt to smash remnants of two Nazi armies trapped in Estonia and Latvia.

North of Yeremenko's forces, Gen. Ivan Haslennikov's troops swept beyond captured Varna, nearly 35 miles inside Estonia and 35 miles from the Gulf of Riga. These forces have occupied over 60 settlements in 24 hours, the Russians said, and the swift pace seemingly indicated early collapse of German power in the Baltic.

Germans Announce New Evacuation
LONDON, Aug. 14.—(AP)—The Germans announced today the evacuation of the important communications center of Oswiec, 15 miles south of the East Prussian frontier, and the withdrawal of Nazi forces "a few kilometers to the west."

Oswiec is a Polish city on the Belzra river which the Russians captured on Sunday. Railroads from Konigsberg and Lyck in East Prussia, Warsaw, Grodno and Bialystok cross there. The city lies 25 miles below Lyck and is considered a fortress key to the marshland approaches to the difficult Masurian Lake country of East Prussia.

At midnight, Moscow announced the fall of Goniadz, four miles to the east. It is in this region that a fresh Russian offensive, flanking both east Prussia and Warsaw, is gaining momentum.

The Berlin radio acknowledged fresh Russian advances in the Baltic states southwest of Lake Pskov. In that region, 20 to 25 German divisions have been severed from land communications by a Russian corridor to the Baltic sea west of Riga.

MOSCOW, Aug. 14.—(AP)—The Soviet government, indicating resentment over reports that the Red Army had abandoned Warsaw's underground army to its fate, declared yesterday the Polish government in exile in London never had attempted to establish liaison with the Russian military command regarding the patriot forces.

A statement released through the official news agency Tass asserted that the exile government, said by the Russians to be the source of the reports, was responsible for events in Warsaw.

LARGE NUMBER TEXAS SOLDIERS REPORTED WOUNDED IN ACTION

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—(AP)—The War Department made public today the names of 1,837 U. S. soldiers wounded in action, including the following from Texas:

Central Pacific Area:
Curtis, Staff Sgt. Joe V.—Mrs. Arayita V. Curtis, Mother, 1815 Klipsan St., Corpus Christi.

European Area:
Baum, 2nd Lt. Jack B.—Mrs. Louise W. Baum, wife, Route 2, Mineral Wells.

Curtis, 2nd Lt. Roswell E.—Mrs. Ann V. Curtis, wife, 2301 Trinity St., Austin.

Dalrymple, Tech. Sgt. Ronald F.—Mrs. Dorothy D. Dalrymple, wife, 124 Vine St., Abilene.

Davidson, Staff Sgt. Gld R.—Mrs. Wilda N. Davidson, wife, Liberty.

Dawson, Capt. Joseph T.—Dr. Joseph M. Dawson, father, 2800 Washington Ave., Waco.

Earhart, Pvt. Thomas E.—Mrs. Earl Earhart, wife, 603 North Franklin, Marshall.

Pierro, Pfc. Antonio R.—Mrs. Frank Pierro, wife, 1114 Spring.

Frantzetti, Staff Sgt. Arthur A.—Mrs. Guidetta Frantzetti, mother, 2001 Chilton St., Austin.

Gonzalez, Pvt. Willie—Mrs. Anita Gonzalez, wife, 615 East 9th St., Austin.

Griggs, Sgt. Bert L.—Mrs. Emily B. Griggs, wife, 4819 Scholwood Ave., Austin.

Hale, Pfc. Alton B.—Mrs. Vergie M. Hale, mother, 411 West South St., Whitesboro.

Hine, 1st Lt. John A.—Mrs. Clara H. Hine, mother, 3025 9th St. Port Arthur.

Johnson, Pvt. Eduardo—Mrs. Helen E. Johnson, mother, 419 Duncan St., Corpus Christi.

Purvis, Lt. Col. Walter M.—Mrs. W. Marshall Purvis, wife, 1614 Forest Trail, Austin.

Ray, Pfc. Johnnie—Mrs. Dessie Ray, wife, Nugent St., Abilene.

Soto, Pvt. Florencio—Mrs. Cincenta Soto, mother, 425 East Olive, Eastland.

Mediterranean Area:
Alexander, Pfc. John T.—John T. Alexander, father, route 1, box 60, Rusk.

Birkhead, Capt. Tom P.—Mrs. Sarah T. Birkhead, mother, 151 Houston Ave., Waco.

Doherty, Pfc. Roy A.—Charles A. Doherty, father, Route 3, Box 211, Hillsboro.

Kelinske, Staff Sgt. Monroe L.—Mr. and Mrs. Gust Kelinske, parents, Route 5, box 465, Waco.

Logan, Sgt. James M.—Mrs. Maggie Logan, mother, 612 Davis St., Luling.

Mares, Staff Sgt. Saturnino—Mrs. Clara Mares, mother, Box 1893, San Benito.

Roman, Pfc. Gordon P.—Mrs. Eva M. Roman, mother, Route 3, Longview.

Travino, Sgt. Alberto—Alberto Travino, father, 13th St., Brownsville.

Watkins, Pfc. Earl W.—Mrs. Nancy J. Watkins, mother, 822 South 8th St., Houston.

The D. D. Wylies
Of Roane Entertain Friends at Luncheon

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Wylie, Roane, entertained today a luncheon for a group of friends Friday at their home. Present were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Medaris, Hayden Parnell, Dallas; Mrs. Leona McElroy, Bellville; Mrs. Purley Miss; Mrs. Eva Boyles, Mrs. George Baker, Corsicana; Mrs. Fred Spivey and daughter, Corsicana.

Miss Beulah Boyles is a guest of Mrs. Eva Boyles.

T-Sgt. Stevenson Liberator Gunner Gets Decoration

T-Sgt. William E. Stevenson, radio operator gunner on a B-24 Liberator heavy bomber, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for "extraordinary achievement in aerial combat" according to an announcement from Major Gen. James P. Hodge, commanding general of a Liberator Bombardment division.

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NEW GOOD NEIGHBOR SUPER-HIGHWAY INTO SOUTHERN AMERICAS

By CLAIR JOHNSON
WASHINGTON, Aug. 14. (AP)—Senator Andrews (D-Ia.) reported today that officials of the United States, Cuba and Mexico are talking up a new, "good neighbor super-highway"—one featuring two water hops via ferries.

He said the new route, designed to boost tourist travel and commerce between the Americas, would have the following links:

(1) Through Florida to Key West on roads already built; (2) A 90-mile jump to Havana by ferry; (3) West across Cuba for about 100 miles on a highway which must be improved; (4) A 175-mile ferry hop to Puerto Morion in Mexico's Yucatan peninsula; and (5) across Mexico, via Merida to the Cristobal on a trail needing considerable work, to meet the regular Pan-American roadway.

Andrews told a reporter that project "seems entirely practical, since it already has the ferrying whole trains from Florida to Cuba, and would be very inexpensive, since most of the roads are already built and we will have a great surplus of these ferries after the war." He plans to introduce legislation soon to create a Congressional committee to consider the idea.

"This good-neighbor super-highway could serve well as an alternate to the regular Pan-American Roadway," Andrews commented. "It would be particularly valuable to the Eastern Seaboard, because it would reduce the driving distance from anywhere along there to Mexico City by more than 1,000 miles. The Florida said it 'would be the duty of the Congressional committee and the governments involved' to decide how the cost of the necessary road building should be financed."

ALLIES NARROWED NAZI ESCAPE GAP TO TWELVE MILES

By E. D. BALL
ALENCON, France, Aug. 14. (11:35 pm.)—(AP)—The Allies tonight narrowed the escape gap for the bulk of German armies in western France. American troops and tanks were driving north and the Canadians were pushing down toward Falaise. The gap between the two armies in military history. The two armies were poised for a knockout of ten to 15 German divisions numbering 100,000 to 200,000 men.

Their impending destruction would mean the finish of Hitler in western France. The entrapment of the enemy was accomplished by one of the slickest and swiftest maneuvers accomplished on any battlefield.

It started following the Nazi route before Le Mans, 110 miles west of Paris, and was carried through with a lack of enemy opposition which amazed Allied generals.

German intelligence or leadership—or both—collapsed utterly, or the German command showed incredible stupidity.

The enemy made no effort to break out until late today and then, only after Allied artillery had gotten their last avenue of escape under fire.

May Mean New Invasion
LONDON, Aug. 14. (AP)—The German radio, asserted that large Allied convoys were streaming through the Strait of Gibraltar into the Mediterranean, speculated tonight that landings in the south of Europe were imminent.

PEACETIME USE OF INTERNATIONAL AIR FORCE TO BE SOUGHT
By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, Aug. 14. (AP)—Peacetime use of an international air force with a lack of enemy opposition which amazed Allied generals.

The idea has recently been put forward in Russian quarters which, at the same time, express opposition to the creation of any international police force such as ground troops and navy.

Sir Alexander Cadogan, British delegate to the peace talks, told a news conference it had been talked about and added that "us of force is one of the large subjects" on which the talks will be concentrated.

Cadogan, meeting reporters at the British Embassy yesterday, expressed frank optimism about the accomplishment of the conference opening a week from today and disclosed that much preliminary work has already been done.

As a result, he made clear, Britain and the United States are in accord on the main outlines of the world peace organization plans and Russia and China have been kept informed of the British and American proposals. Last week the Russians submitted a document presumably setting forth their plans but Cadogan said he had not had opportunity to study it.

Congress would be asked to authorize in advance the use of a part of the nation's armed forces, employment anywhere in the world to suppress aggression and enforce peace any time the world organization called on the United States for such forces.

CARD OF THANKS
From the depths of our hearts we wish to thank each and every one for their untiring help and comfort shown us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father, Mr. George D. Smith, 71 years of age, who passed away peacefully at his home, 1111 S. 1st St., on August 14, 1944. We are comforted by the thought that he is now at rest in the arms of our Heavenly Father. May God bless you all for your kind words and prayers. Mrs. George D. Smith and Children.



Courthouse News

District Court
Ex parte Hamp Hanks, Jr., application to remove disabilities of minority, granted.

W. J. Pollan, recently given two years on a plea of guilty to indictment for receiving and concealing stolen property, was sentenced Monday morning by A. P. Mays, district judge.

The jury for the week was excused Monday by Judge Mays when it was shown cases set for this week were not to be tried.

Court attaches pointed out Monday that there will not be any more further summons until the October term.

Willie Johnson vs. Sophia Johnson, divorce granted.

Ex parte, Lora V. White, petition for removal of disabilities of minority, denied.

District Clerk's Office
Verna Leach vs. Wayne Leach, divorce.

Doyle Newton vs. Lancaster Newton, divorce.

Mrs. Mary Gentry, et al. vs. Jessie Statts, to modify judgment.

Mrs. Madeline Davis vs. Warren Dubart Davis, divorce.

Ex parte, Brown vs. Ever Brown, divorce.

J. D. Curry vs. Mrs. Lucile Curry, divorce.

County Court
Fred Brown, negro, entered a plea of guilty Friday to a charge of aggravated assault and was sentenced to jail for six months and costs by Beatrice R. McCormick, county judge.

County Clerk's Office
Absentee voting has started for the second Democratic primary election August 22 with the receiving of the ballots Friday morning from P. M. Gladney, Democratic chairman.

Commissioners Court
All members were present. Claims were allowed except as noted on the claim docket.

The public weigher's bond of T. I. Farmer, Purdon, was approved.

Sheriff's Office
One was arrested on an insanity charge and one for threat to kill his wife.

Marriage Licenses
J. P. Meadows and Emma Gene Sides.

William L. Bottoms and Johnnie Mann.



Reunion of Vinson, Ferguson Families Held At St. Elmo

A reunion of the P. H. Vinson and J. R. Ferguson families was held Sunday, July 30 at the Vinson home at St. Elmo. Each family brought lunch to be served at the noon hour and the day will be long remembered by those attending.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wilson, and two children, Walter Franklin and Annie Lora; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. W. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson and Betty Sue, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dixon, Mrs. James Hodges and son, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Lee and children; G. C. Vinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lewis, Mrs. R. L. Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Du Bose, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCarty, Mr. and Mrs. Clark DuBose and daughter, Mrs. Corney Bane, and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McGary, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Ferguson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ferguson and son, Mrs. Frank Massey and son, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Welch, Howard Tidwell, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Anderson and daughter, Julia, and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Roberts.

Jim Freeman Of, Emhouse Honored At Birthday Dinner

At Jim Freeman of Emhouse was honored Sunday, August 13, with a surprise dinner on his 44th birthday. He was the recipient of many gifts and best wishes from friends and relatives.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bell, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. McGinnis, John McAdams, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McAdams, Mr. and Mrs. Dixon R. Woods of Emhouse; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Goodman and daughters and Dorothy Fudge of Bardwell, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Freeman and Mary Lee Wilson of Ohio, Freeman, Mrs. Verna Baker of Ennis, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ranton of Ferris, Mrs. Raymond Smith and daughter, Mrs. J. E. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Grimes of Corsicana.

H. Smith and Eli Hollhouse surveys in Navarro and Freestone counties, \$10 and other considerations.

W. E. Mayo, et ux, to Lewis N. Weaver, et ux, Block 487, Corsicana, \$1,000 and other considerations.

I. T. Kent, et ux, to B. F. Brown, Lots 10 and 20, Block 58, Corsicana, \$1,200.

H. L. Hanna, et ux, to Max Brustert, Lot 2, Block 411, Corsicana, \$75.

Rachael Colburn Baller to Rufus Shell, part of lot 4, Division II, 22 & 24 C. R. Co. Addition, Corsicana, \$10 and other considerations.

Bertha Burnett, et al, to Pansy May War, et ux, block 511, Corsicana, \$50.

R. R. Messingale et ux to Emmitt Alexander, all of block B, Blooming Grove, \$135.

E. L. Gilbert et ux to C. A. Maywood et ux, 134 1-7 acres, Thomas Welch survey, \$10 and other considerations.

J. E. Beasley et al to Hoyt Eugene Weaver et ux, two tracts in the T. J. Chambers survey near Chatfield, \$80 and other considerations.

Hoyt Eugene Weaver et ux to W. H. Burhalter et ux, two tracts in the T. J. Chambers survey near Chatfield, \$80.

Mrs. Fannie Elsie Averett to L. M. Keadle et ux, lot 5, block 421, Corsicana, \$1,000.

The Federal Land Bank of Houston, Texas, to B. F. Gullett, part of Joseph West survey, \$1,700.

CONSIDERABLY LESS COTTONSEED CRUSHED PAST COTTON YEAR

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14. (AP)—The census bureau reports that cottonseed crushed in the cotton year, Aug. 1 to July 31, totaled 3,953,583 tons compared with 4,497,779 tons in the previous year.

Cottonseed on hand at mills July 31 totaled 115,501 tons compared with 90,326 tons a year ago.

Cottonseed products manufactured during the year and on hand July 31 were reported as follows:

Crude oil produced, 1,235,938,000 pounds, compared with 1,400,554,000 pounds the previous year; and on hand July 31, 30,186,000 pounds, compared with 23,294,000 pounds a year ago.

Refined oil produced, 1,155,047,000 pounds, compared with 1,304,320,000 pounds, and on hand, 24,127,000 pounds, compared with 24,000,000 pounds.

Sake and meal produced, 1,844,054 tons, compared with 1,994,611, and on hand, 27,776 tons, compared with 18,743 tons.

Hulls produced, 926,451 tons, compared with 1,085,034, and on hand 14,677 tons, compared with 11,964.

By-products produced, 1,183,115 running bales, compared with 1,357,197; and on hand 63,039 running bales, compared with 135,927.

"BIG INCH" PIPELINE BEGINS SECOND YEAR OPERATIONS TODAY
WASHINGTON, Aug. 13. (AP)—The world's biggest oil pipeline, a \$95,000,000 project of 1,363 miles from Longview, Texas, to the New York-Philadelphia area, begins its second year of operations today.

Petroleum Administrator Harold L. Ickes announced. A total of 96,292,000 barrels of crude oil have been moved by the "Big Inch" line, which he said has done the work of 23,000 tank cars operating on an 18-day tour-around schedule, Ickes said.

"If the line had not been operating, we would not have been able to keep the United Nations' fighting forces in the Mediterranean and European theaters of operations fully supplied with fuel and all essential industrial and domestic needs," Ickes declared.

"The delivery of Texas crude oil through the line to eastern refineries has prevented what could easily have developed into a catastrophic oil shortage along the Atlantic seaboard," he reported.

Hope-Langford Plane Forced Down While On Tour of Australia
MELBOURNE, Australia, Aug. 14. (AP)—Comedian Bob Hope and stress Frances Langford and other members of a party touring South-west Pacific battle stations escaped injury today when their plane was forced down at Northern Newcastle, Australia.

Details of the incident were lacking. When one engine of the Catalina cut out, the passengers jetisoned some of the luggage but his sacrifice was in vain and the pilot decided to set the plane down just before dusk.

A launch took the party to Laurieton. He walked into the town's little postoffice and announced to the postmaster, "I'm Bob Hope."

The postmaster had heard Hope on the radio, however, and refused to fall. Hope had to prove his identity, whereupon he was allowed to use the telephone.

Hope made his Australian premiere tonight as a hastily arranged charity concert in Laurieton's tiny town hall. Others in his party were Jerry Colonna, Patty Thomas and Tony Romano.

PACIFIC WAR CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE
nins was notable for the lack of interception and light ask-ack.

Many Japs Killed
Admiral Nimitz, who went to Saipan and Guam just after his conference with President Roosevelt and General MacArthur at Pearl Harbor, disclosed that 52,323 Japanese were killed in the Gilberts, Marshalls and Marianas, at a cost of 5,993 American dead.

Japan's forces still held Hengyang against assaults of Chinese trying to recapture the vital junction on the Hankow-Canton railway. Tokyo broadcast that Japanese next steps in operations.

In Yunnan to the southwest Chinese gathered for assaults on Tengchong and Lungling, enemy-held bases on the Burma road. The British and only light opposition in their chase of the Japanese fleeing India.

Driving Japs Out
SOUTHWEST ASIA COMMAND HEADQUARTERS, Ceylon, Aug. 11. (AP)—Allied troops steadily driving the last Japanese remnants out of northwestern India, made steady progress yesterday as they advanced against light opposition on the Tiddim Road and in the Kabaw Valley sector. Allied headquarters announced today.

In northern Burma, meanwhile, Chinese troops and Kachin levies consolidated positions around fallow lands and pushed patrols into the Manralay railway to Mingal, five miles southwest of Taungtha, the announcement said.

Say Strike Unjustified
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 14. (AP)—The Evening Bulletin public opinion reported today that 69.5 per cent of Philadelphians questioned held that transportation strikers were not justified and 25.5 per cent expressed the opinion that it was stoppage was justified. Eleven per cent said they had no opinion on whether the trolley, called when negroes were upgraded to trolley operating jobs, was justified.

One Dead, 13 Injured
HOUSTON, Tex., Aug. 14. (AP)—A person was killed and 13 were injured in a traffic accident involving five cars yesterday on the Crosby-Lynchburg road in Harris county.

Lester Caplan was killed in what Deputy Sheriff George Scott described as "the worst accident in the history of the Highlands Community."

Mrs. A. D. Belt has returned from Dyersburg, Tenn., where she spent the past month with her son-in-law and daughter, Capt. and Mrs. Edward E. Kilgore.



HOW ALLIES MAY DRIVE INTO SOUTHERN FRANCE—An American thrust southward across the Loire river at Nantes and reports of intensified Allied air attacks on the southern coast of France indicate possibility of Allied drives (white arrows) into this area from land and sea. Territory wrested from Germans in Allied campaigns in France and Mediterranean is shown in black. (AP Wirephoto)

Firefighter Finds This Acting Stuff Sort of Fascinating

By ROBBIN COONS
HOLLYWOOD, Aug. 14. (AP)—The youngster who had to be chased into the movies from a \$75-a-month job as a forest firefighter now admits reluctantly that he is beginning to find this acting stuff "sort of fascinating."

"All I know about it," said Francis McCowan, 22, touted as a future Gable by 20th Century-Fox, "is to be here on time, do what I'm told, and pay my 10 per cent. But if I catch on, maybe it could be all right."

The 10 per cent goes to Agent Sue Carol, former actress whose husband Alan Ladd chased down the handsome, 6-foot-3 Santa Cruz, Calif., boy and lassoed him for his wife's agency.

McCowan was here on vacation to see his grandmother and great-grandmother and try to get in the army after being rejected (for an unromantic stomach ulcer) at Santa Cruz. He was riding at a valley stable when Ladd spotted him, rode alongside and asked about a picture career. McCowan laugh-

ed said no, and galloped away. Ladd followed, caught up, and tried to have lunch and hastily telephoned his wife to join them. Agent Sue did the talking from there.

She sold him easily to play "General Jim" Corbett in "The Great John L." for Bing Crosby, and to 20th on contract. He's winning a prizefight for George Raft in "Nob Hill" there now.

His Gable-like background: ranch work, lumberjacking, mining, amateur fighting.

"If it weren't for the money," he said, "I'd rather be back in Santa Cruz. With the money, I'll get a ranch up there quicker."

Montreal Strike Ends
MONTREAL, Aug. 14. (AP)—Street cars and buses moved on regular schedules in Montreal today, after an 11-day transportation shutdown, the longest in the city's history.

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MOOREY SMITH
The "YANKS" FLYING WITH SCORCH AND PINTO, WHO ARE ON THEIR WAY TO COVER A SECRET ALLIED CONFERENCE ON THE DESERT—SUDDENLY RECALLED THEMSELVES AS NAZIS WHEN THEY TAKE OVER THE TRANSPORT.

WAKY DOAKS
OAKY'S ATTEMPT TO STOP THE WINDMILL AND SAVE PRINCESS ELAINE ISN'T WORKING OUT VERY WELL...

THEY WHAT?
GEE—I DUNNO! BUT NOW I'M GONNA JUMP AND—

THIS IS A CRUCIAL SERIES!
WAIT! HERE COMES UNCLE BEN! HE HAS PULL WITH THE CLUB!

BUT, HOWER, YOU PROMISED YOUR KID YOU'D GET HIM A PLAYER'S CAP FROM THE BALL CLUB!
YEH, BUT NOT NOW! I WANNA GO BACK IN AND WATCH THE GAME!

NO, I'M SORRY, I HAD BIFF MILLER AUTOGRAPH A BALL FOR MY GRANDSON LAST WEEK! WOULDN'T LIKE TO ASK ANOTHER IF WE FAVOR SO SOON!
WELL BE TIED FOR FIRST PLACE!

IF JUDGE SCOTT WAS IN TOWN DID THAT HE COULD GET SQUEEZE IT FOR YOU!
YEAH! WE HAVE WORK! A ONE-RUN LEAD, GOIN' INTO THE NINTH!

EVERYONE IN COSTUME! WE'RE GOING TO REHEARSE THE MOVIE! GO TO THE SET! YOU'LL SEE WHAT AN EPIC PICTURE THIS IS GOING TO BE!

BUT YOU DON'T HAFTA MARRY HER, UNCLE JIM. JUST TELL HER YOU WON'T!

IT WOULDN'T DO—ISN'T SHE A BIT OF GOOD—A VERY GOOD COOK, EITHER?

THAT ISN'T IT, CAN'T YOU SEE, SHE'D WANT TO BOSS HIM?—AT THAT! REEVER HOUSE, TOO! MEANTIME, I'LL KEEP MIGHTY QUIET—RIGHT HERE!

Navy Department Issues Casualty List of Texans

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14. (AP)—The navy department today announces 283 casualties of the U. S. naval forces not heretofore released on navy department casualty lists, including these Texans:

Cheatham, Norris E., Cpl., USMC. Wounded. Mother, Mrs. Gladys Cheatham, 1038 Hedgecock, Bozger.

Chenault, John O., Pfc., USMCR. Wounded. Mother, Mrs. Kiddy R. Chenault, 1104 N. 28th street, Waco.

Clark, John W., Cpl., USMCR. Wounded. (Previously reported wounded on report of naval casualties for Jan. 17, 1944.) Mother, Mrs. Cleslie Porch, Belton.

Clark, Robert E., Jr., Pfc.

Wounded. Mother, Mrs. Velma Clark, Wylie.

Dean, Charles E., Cpl., USMC. Dead. Mother, Mrs. Una M. Dean, 1314 Avenue O, Galveston.

Durant, David P., Pfc., USMCR. Wounded. Mother, Mrs. Nora Durant, Granbury.

Dyess, Harlan E., Pfc., USMCR. Dead. Wife, Mrs. Harlan B. Dyess, 73 Julius street, Austin.

Kuykendall, Clifford Weldon, GM-2D, USN. Missing. Father, James Early Kuykendall, Saint Jo pastor, Mrs. Christine Russell, 706 Burnett street, Wichita Falls.

McCulloch, Morris J., Cpl., USMC. Dead. Mother, Mrs. Hattie P. McCulloch, Bryan.

Strachan, Toward Lee, S-2D, USNR. Missing. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Luther Strachan, Clint.

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Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Impressed with
2. Title of a monk
3. Store
4. Garden implement
5. Trunk of a felled tree
6. Enclosure for bees
7. State positively
8. American Indian
9. Petals
10. Sinear
11. Books of fiction
12. Exist
13. Land measure
14. Wickedness
15. Thickness
16. Transgression

DOWN
1. Street urchin
2. Flutter
3. Picked out
4. Throw of the track
5. Make a batch of
6. Decompose
7. Instrumentally
8. Shook with cold
9. Cubic meter
10. Egg-shaped
11. Implements
12. Ourselves
13. Correlative of either
14. Entire quantity
15. Rockies
16. Constellation
17. Sluggish
18. Fastener
19. By
20. Loop on the edge of lace or ribbon
21. Cereal seed
22. Sluggish
23. Annoyed
24. Tear
25. Coverage
26. Punish by a fine
27. Treating periwinkle
28. About
29. Cautel
30. Uttered
31. Otherwise
32. Morbid respiratory around
33. Mass of floating
34. Implement
35. Embraces
36. One part
37. Pronoun

Solution Friday's Puzzle.

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CHAMBER COMMERCE SEEKING BONUS TO SECURE BIG CONCERN

LOCAL BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL MEN GET OPPORTUNITY CONTRIBUTE

After several months of negotiations, the industrial committee of the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce has reached an agreement with an industrial concern which manufactures paper bags, metal tags, sales books, carbon paper, ribbons, school supplies and other commodities, it was revealed to the public today by the Chamber of Commerce board of directors under Will Thompson, president.

During the ensuing week members of the board will seek to raise \$125,000 from business and professional men in Corsicana, the amount needed to bring the enterprise to this city, according to figures released by R. G. Dillard, chamber manager. The company's payroll lists 203 employees with an expansion to 400 employees expected by 1950. Amounting to \$280,000 annually, the company officials expect the payroll to increase to a probable \$550,000 a year. Their retail sales run well over a million dollars per year.

The building necessary to house this concern has over 100,000 square feet with 55,000 feet of sprinkler system and 30,000 feet of warehousing.

Having such a concern in Corsicana will mean an increase in school taxes, an increase in water consumption, an increase in retail sales, and an increase in residential homes, board members agreed today. "They bring us a high type of citizenship, and a commodity whose sales cover the globe," Will Thompson, chamber president, stated.

Solicitors from the board of directors are collecting pledges amounting to approximately one per cent of gross sales for the merchants, and five percent of their total income for professional men.

Athens Soldier Gets Promotion And Decoration

McCLOSKEY GENERAL HOSPITAL, Temple, Aug. 12.—(SPL.)—Sgt. Dunda E. Brown of Athens, Texas, was a corporal when he arrived at McCloskey General Hospital, Temple, Texas, but shortly afterwards he was advised that he had been made a sergeant two years before he was wounded near Sezza, Italy.

Today he was even more pleasantly surprised when he was told that he will soon be presented with the Bronze Star in recognition of his demonstration of courage under fire.

"I guess it's for that nasty time we had near Migano, Italy," the Texan explained quietly, adding, "It was only the third day of combat for our artillery unit."

"We had moved up into position to lay down a barrage to cover an infantry attack. Soon after we started firing enemy snipers located us, and enemy shells began exploding around our guns."

"It was our first time under fire," Brown said, "and almost immediately our section sergeant was out of action. I was only a private first class cannoner, but the corporal and I took over and directed the firing until the job was done. I don't know why they make such a fuss over it. Somebody had to carry on. We just couldn't run off and leave our boys who were attacking the enemy exposed without artillery support. It was tough there for a while. A number of our men were put out of action. By the time we attacked 'Million Dollar Mountain' a few days later, I had been promoted to corporal."

"The longest stretch of solid fighting my unit had was the 65 days we spent at Cassino," Brown declared.

"Near the town of Sezza," he continued, "the enemy retreated so fast that we lost contact. Our unit was sent on ahead to re-establish contact. When we made contact we immediately began shelling German infantry. The same thing happened here that occurred at Migano. We were subjected to counter-artillery almost immediately."

"One of the enemy shells cut off telephone wires. Just after I left my gun to repair the break, shell fragments broke both my legs. Corp. Robbins of Corsicana, Texas, who also got the Bronze Star for our hot time at Migano; Lt. Bedloe, another Texan; Sgt. Kurioz of Milwaukee, Wis., and Pvt. Carter of Alabama, risked their lives in that intense shellfire to carry me away from the scene of shelling to an aid station."

"If ever I meet up with those boys again," said Brown, "we are sure gonna have us a time."

Sergeant Brown's wife, Mrs. Hazel Brown, resides at 411 College street, Athens, Texas.

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15TH AAF IN ITALY—Waving so-long to his ground crew, Capt. Eugene L. Flynn, 26, pilot, of 2408 Park Row, Corsicana, prepares to take off on a mission to Vienna and chalk up another bomb on his plane for a job well done. Capt. Flynn was an instructor at Randolph Field for a year and a half before going overseas. He has three Oak Leaf Clusters on his Air Medal to attest to his completing 35 missions over enemy territory.

NUMBER OF TEXANS REPORTED MISSING ON VARIOUS FRONTS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—(AP)—The War Department made public today the names of 957 soldiers missing in action, including the following Texans:

European area:
Couch, Sgt. Billy L.—Charlie C. Couch, Sgt. Gilmer.
Farris, 2nd Lt. Harry C., Jr.—Mrs. Edna S. Farris, mother, 410 Arizona St., El Paso.
Hank, Sgt. Harvey B.—Mrs. Fannie L. McDonald, mother, 1000 South 7th Waco.
Holland, Sgt. Thomas C.—Cleveland C. Holland, father, Lockhart.
Jarbeau, Tech. Sgt. Thomas C.—Mrs. Gussie Jarbeau, mother, 1224 2nd St., Corpus Christi.
Jenkins, Staff Sgt. McLendon E.—Mrs. Addie Jenkins, mother, 406 ave. K, Galveston.
Martinez, Pfc. Jose R.—Mrs. H. M. Flores, Aunt, Kennedy.
McDonald, Pvt. Jessal—Mrs. Delina P. McDonald, grandmother, Box 331, McAllen.
Reed, Flight Officer James H.—Mrs. Lewis Irene Reed, wife, 642 Oak St., Abilene.
Robbins, 1st Lt. Jack B.—Mrs. Roy M. Robbins, wife, 1502 18th St., Wichita Falls.
Roberts, Cpl. Ernest T., Jr.—Mrs. Ernest T. Roberts, mother, 2015 ave. D., Corpus Christi.
Scoggins, Sgt. Grover L.—Mrs. Elizabeth A. Scoggins, mother, 1000 8th ave., Fort Worth.
Villarreal, Pvt. Milton—Mrs. Antonia V. Villarreal, mother, Edouche.
Voges, Pfc. Henry W.—Harry H. Voges, father, Kennedy, (killed in action.)

Williamson, Sgt. Francis E.—Mrs. Eva J. Williamson, wife, Route 4, Sulphur Springs.
Yost, Flight Officer Charles—Mrs. Bernie Mims Yost, mother, Route 1, Box 609, Fort Worth.
Zelenka, Pvt. Walter D.—Mrs. Millie Zelenka, mother, Caldwell (killed in action.)

Mediterranean area:
Aguilar, Pfc. Alberto—Mrs. Florentina Aguilar, wife, 1880 Harrison St., Brownsville.
Compton, Tech. Sgt. Jesse F.—Author B. Compton, father, Littlefield.
Elliott, 1st Lt. Gerald B.—Mrs. Jean D. Elliott, wife, 1008 Hillside ave., Austin.
Escue, 2nd Lt. Walter H.—Mrs. Alma Escue, mother, Ozona.
Hollis, Pfc. John D.—David L. Hollis, father, 1638 Pearl St., Wichita Falls.
Hough, 1st Lt. Vernon—John T. Hough, father, 2205 East 2-2 St., Austin.
Lewis, Staff Sgt. Chester A.—Mrs. Maggie B. Lewis, mother, Kilgore.
Norris, 2nd Lt. J. C.—Mrs. Emma N. Norris, mother, Lamesa.
Owens, 2nd Lt. Robert J.—Mrs. Gladys R. Owens, mother, Robstown.
Roberson, 2nd Lt. Lubie M.—Mrs. Dorothy Roberson, wife, 830 ave. G, Beaumont.
Turner, 2nd Lt. Billy T.—Mrs. Julia S. Turner, mother, 3318 ave. E, Fort Worth.

Funeral Services Held Saturday For Former Corsican

Funeral services for W. G. Harvey, age 31 years, former instructor at Corsicana Field, who was killed in a plane crash at Clarkdale, Miss., Thursday, were held from the Corley Chapel Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. P. F. Rohmalk conducted the rites and interment was in Oakwood cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Louise Harvey; an uncle, Fred Keckler, Fort Logan, Colo., and other relatives.

Pallbearers were Paul Albrecht, Eli Fuller, William Murray, Clyde Kelly, John Lender and Lawrence Siddle.

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Betty Jane Tuttle Weds A-C Keating Here On Saturday

The marriage of Miss Betty Jane Tuttle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Tuttle of Ulen, N. Y., to Aviation Cadet Richard F. Keating, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Keating of Ulen, N. Y., was solemnized on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, with Very Rev. Msgr. V. C. Orfio officiating at the simple ring ceremony.

The bride was attired in a floor-length creation of white satin and net, and wore a fingertip veil, which fell from matching arrangements of forget-me-nots. Her flowers were white roses and gladioli in colonial bouquet arrangements.

Miss Alice Niedringhaus, who served as the bride's only attendant, wore poudre blue net, and her flowers were pink roses and gladioli. Vincent Keating, U. S. N., served his brother as best man.

The bride and bridegroom attended St. Francis DeSales High school in Ulen, N. Y. They will reside in Corsicana while A-C Keating is stationed at Corsicana Field.

Out of town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Tuttle and Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Keating of Ulen, N. Y., and Vincent Keating, U. S. N.

Corsicana Soldier Listed As Wounded In European Area

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—(AP)—The War Department has made public the names of 1782 U. S. soldiers wounded in action, including the following from Texas:

European area:
Elkins Tech. Sgt. Leonard A.—Mrs. Nola L. Elkins, mother, 1220 West 12-12 ave., Corsicana.
Fulce, Pvt. William E.—Mrs. Ruby B. Fulce, mother, 409 West Washington, Denison.
Gauldin, Cpl. Joseph C.—Mrs. Minnie C. Gauldin, mother, Vernon.
Pawless, Pfc. Mugg—Mrs. Della C. Pawless, mother, Route E, Gainesville.
Pike, Pvt. John W.—Mrs. Mattie Pike, mother, 1311 East Broadway, Gainesville.
Turner, Cpl. Claude A.—Mrs. Bertha A. Turner, mother, Pampa.

Two Freestone County Soldiers Killed In Action

FAIRFIELD, Aug. 12.—(SPL.)—Mrs. George P. Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Bond of Fairfield, was notified Saturday by the War Department that her husband, Second Lt. George P. Brown had been killed in action in France on July 14.

Lieut. Brown was the son of Mrs. George P. Brown of Edinburg. He had served as District Attorney of Hidalgo county for two years prior to his entering the armed services, and was married to Miss Christine Bond Aug. 15, 1942.

Mrs. Leslie Doward Black of the Lovely Community was notified by the War Department Friday that her husband Pvt. Leslie Doward Black had been killed in action in France on July 15th.

Pvt. Black was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rich Black of Lovely. He had been in the army 17 months and was in the 75th Division.

Lieut. (Jg.) and Mrs. Elbert Neely, Jr. left by plane for San Francisco, Calif., on Wednesday morning following a visit in the home of Lieut. Neely's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Neely.

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Nine states are represented on the 10-man crew of a Flying Fortress of which John E. Harper, staff sergeant, hails from Corsicana, according to an article and picture appearing recently in "The Rattler," publication for Pyote Field.

Sgt. Harper is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Harper, 901 South Seventeenth street. His wife and little son also reside here. The Fortress engineer is the only pre-Pearl Harbor soldier of the crew as the Corsicana enlistee in the army five years ago. He attended Corsicana high school and formerly was employed at the Jackson bakery.

The photo included Leonard D. Nye (not a crew member but the flight commander); Lt. Ralph E. Stodt, pilot, California; Lt. Conrad Hohing, Danaconing, Mich.; Lt. George A. Minich, Marceline, Mo.; Lt. Howard W. Grote, Springfield, Ohio; Sgt. Harper, Corsicana, Texas; Sgt. Albert Waldmiller, Lancaster, N. Y.; Cpl. Thomas McDonough, Wheeling, W. Va.; Pfc. Donald McPherson, Rochester, N. Y.; Pfc. Thomas Leiman, Tucson, Ariz., and Cpl. Howard Hagan, Jersey City, N. J.

Raising Premium For First Bale Of Cotton On Friday

N. J. Middlebrooks, manager of the Corsicana Warehouse, is raising a premium for A. H. Hodge, Eureka, who brought the first bale



Jeanne Carroll, Corp. Schmidt Wed Wednesday

The marriage of Miss Jeanne Carroll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carroll, to Corp. Frank William Schmidt, U. S. Marine Corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schmidt of Austin, was solemnized in the parlor of the First Baptist church on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. J. I. Cartledge officiated at the impressive double ring ceremony before an improvised altar, fashioned of white gladioli, summer greenery and gleaming white tapers.

Mrs. S. K. Brietz played the traditional wedding marches, and Miss Louise Goode sang "O Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly," with Mrs. Brietz at the piano.

COMMISSIONED—Lt. James C. Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hart, 19-6 West Fifth avenue, has received his pilot's wings and commission as a second lieutenant at the Blackland Army Air Field, Waco, Texas. After graduating from Mt. Pleasant High School, Lt. Hart attended Texas A. and M. College before entering the army air forces in February 1943. Lt. and Mrs. Hart are visiting his parents during a leave before reporting for his next assignment.

of the 1944 cotton crop to Corsicana on Friday, August 11. The bale, ginned by Buck Montgomery at Eureka and weighed at the Corsicana Warehouse, weighing 611 pounds it was one of the heaviest first bales ever brought in.

P. T. Fullwood brought in the first bale last year on Monday, August 2.



GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL—Cpl. Ocie Hopkins, FA, 36th Division, now stationed somewhere in Italy has just received the good conduct medal award, according to information received by his wife of Corsicana. The above picture was made somewhere in Italy, his wife stated. Cpl. Hopkins is serving with Battery B, 133d Field Artillery, 36th Division.

The bride was graduated from Corsicana High School, attended a local business college and has been employed in the accounting department of the American Well and Prospecting Company for the past two years. The bridegroom is an ex-student of the University of Texas, and has served with the U. S. Marines in the South Pacific for the past three years.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. H. C.

RURAL AID SCHOOLS UNABLE USE ADDED FUND FOR SALARIES

Corsicana and State Home schools are the only schools in Navarro county where the additional \$4 per capita apportionment can be used for salary increases, J. C. Watson, Navarro county school superintendent, stated Saturday morning.

The remaining school districts of the county are state aid schools whose salary collings are set by legislative act, the superintendent continued. The only relief can be made by the legislature when it meets in January if that body is so inclined.

The school executive was advised in Austin early this week that the transportation aid from the state is expected to be sent the last week in August. This aid was received last year in May.

Mex Movie Industry to Resume MEXICO CITY, Aug. 12.—(AP)—Mexico's moving picture industry will resume activity Monday after twenty days of paralysis because of interunion dissension, the syndicate of moving picture workers announced yesterday.

Having expelled from their organization the leader of the dissident faction, the heads of the union said that they would hold a meeting today with the producers of thirteen films on which work had been stopped during the conflict.

Schmidt, and daughter, Miss Ruth Schmidt, of Austin parents and sister of the bridegroom, and Robert Schmidt of the U. S. Coast Guard, brother of the bridegroom.

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